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Synod Meets Next Month

BARIUM AND MITCHELL WILL BE JOINT HOSTS

This Will Be First Time Barium Has Entertained Synod in Its 45-Year History

For the second time in its history, the Synod of North Carolina will be entertained by one of its children. In 1928, the newly created Presbyterian Junior College at Maxton, as their first official action, invited the Synod to meet with them. Now, the Presbyterian Orphans' Home at Barium Springs, the oldest child of the Synod, is to entertain this fall's meeting.

The Synod of North Carolina owns just three institutions - the two just mentioned and the North Carolina Home for religious Workers at Montreat. The Orphanage is much older and much larger than these other two institutions. It has been so busy carrying out the duties imposed upon it by the Synod during the years of its existence that it never has seemed convenient to entertain the large number of men comprising the Synod.

However, with the assistance of Mitchell College, the Orphanage is attempting just that. There will be 150 of those attending Synod who will be housed at Barium Springs. Mitchell College will take care of 70 and that ever hospitable town of Statesville will take care of the balance.

Mr. Ernest Milton of Barium Springs, Mr. R. L. Johnson of Mitchell College, and Mr. W. M. Barringer of Statesville are the three important men in arranging for the handling of the guests and looking after their comfort.

The registration will be at the meeting place of Synod, except the first afternoon where it will be at Barium. The Commissioners will arrive, be assigned rooms, and then take their first meals at Barium. Then everyone will attend the opening session of the Synod at Mitchell College that night. The registration books will be taken into Statesville for the convenience of those arriving late.

On Wednesday morning, the 150 quartered at Barium will take breakfast at Barium, the others at the homes wherever they may be assigned, and those at Mitchell College will have breakfast there. All the meetings after the first night will be at the First Presbyterian Church of Statesville. Dinners and suppers for the entire meeting will be served at Barium Springs. Barium Springs is just four miles from Statesville, and the trip from the meeting place to the Orphanage is just long enough to get cobwebs out of each individual's head and really work up an appetite.

The Orpanage crew are making extensive plans to handle that appetite of the Synod. There is a flock of fine young pigs that think that the depression is over,

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Facts to Remember

Some essential things to be remembered by Commissioners to the approaching meeting of the Synod of North Carolina are:

Registration will be at Barium Springs Tuesday afternoon, Sept. 1st; at Mitchell College in Statesville Tuesday night, and thereafter at the First Presbyterian Church in Statesville.

The opening session of Synod will be at Mitchell College; all sessions thereafter will be held at the First Presbyterian Church in Statesville.

Dinner and supper will be served to all Commissioners in the dining room at Barium Springs; breakfast will be obtained at the place where the visitors sleep.

All mail to the Commissioners should be addressed cfo Mitchell College, Statesville.

Hours of meals: Breakfast, 8 o'clock; dinner, 1 o'clock, and supper, 6 o'clock. Be on time.

It is not necessary to bring sheets, pillow cases, towels, etc. Everything will be furnished.

NO REPORTS RECEIVED FROM 233 CHURCHES

Of the 538 churches in the Synod of North Carolina, 233 of them had not made any contribution to the support fund of the Orphanage in the first four months of 1936-1937, either through the Church budget, the Sunday School, or the Auxiliary.

The number of churches in each Presbytery which have failed to send in any kind of contribution from any organization at the close of July, 1936, are: Albemarle 16; Concord 22; Fayetteville 40; Granville 26; Kings Mountain 11; Mecklenburg 38; Orange 23; Wilmington 33; Winston-Salem 24.

That sounds pretty bad, and it is, but it's a condition that is so much better than it was three years ago. It is recalled that at the end of September, 1933 - a six months' period - a similar survey was made, which showed that 248 churches had not reported any regular gift in the first half of 1933-1934. Many of the 233 which haven't sent a gift to Barium in the past four months will make initial reports between now and September 30th, and that

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TENTATIVE PROGRAM IS ANNOUNCED FOR SYNOD

Special Jubilee Celebration Is Planned Wednesday Night; Speakers Selected

With a 100% attendance, Synod's committee to make plans and map out a program for the 123rd annual session of the Synod of North Carolina met at Statesville in July. Chairman of the committee was Rev. E. E. Gillespie, D. D., of Greensboro, Moderator of the Synod, and Rev. C. M Gibbs, Erwin, Stated Clerk of Synod, was appointed as secretary of the session. Other committee members present were Rev. W. C Brown, pastor of Little Joe's Church at Barium Springs; Jos. B. Johnston, Superintendent of the Presbyterian Orphans' Home; R. L. Johnson, treasurer of Mitchell College, and Rev. C. E. Raynal, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Statesville. Sub-committees were appointed to handle specific details for arrangements.

The results of that committee's work are presented below in a tentative outline for the approaching meeting. Speakers for several of the addresses had not accepted the invitations at the time of going to press on August 14th. Their names will therefore be revealed later through the secular press.

One of the principal features of the committee's work was the planning of a special jubilee cele-

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Good News

The Messenger failed to list any Sunday School last month that had adopted a regular plan of giving to the Orphanage, but there is some good news to be broadcast this month. Here 'tis:

Bluff Sunday School in Fayetteville Presbytery started the Offering-per-month plan on the fourth Sunday in July, and has made the first report to the Orphanage.

Pleasant Hill Sunday School in Mecklenburg Presbytery started the same plan on the first Sunday in April, but information about this was delayed until this issue of The Messenger because the first report was not received until the early part of August.

Morven Sunday School, also in Mecklenburg Presbytery, has been giving an Offering per month for a long, long while, but that Sunday School has decided to also give the Orphanage the fifth Sunday Offerings. This is the second Sunday School that gives Barium the fifth Sunday contributions in addition to an Offering each month of the year.

Caldwell Memorial Sunday School, another one from Mecklenburg, has been sending Birthday Offerings and a Thanksgiving Offering to Barium. In order to give the Orphanage a larger regular income officials of that Sunday School have decided to take the total of these gifts in 1935-1936, and send us one-fourth of that amount each quarter.

Wallace Sunday School in Wilmington Presbytery sent a special gift of $50.00 to Barium last month, though no statement, that a regular plan of giving had been adopted, accompanied the contribution.

WHAT SUNDAY SCHOOLS WILL START THE OFFERING-PER-MONTH PLAN IN AUGUST OR THE EARLY PART OF SEPTEMBER? THE MAJORITY OF SUNDAY SCHOOLS IN THE SYNOD DO THIS; WON'T THE MINORITY JOIN THEM?

HOW MUCH DO YOU LIKE THE MESSENGER?

Ernest Milton, Treasurer,
Presbyterian Orphans' Home
Barium Springs, N. C.
Dear Sir:

Although I know that The Barium Messenger is sent to me gratis every month I want to make a personal contribution toward the publication of these 22,000 monthly copies, and am therefore enclosing a special gift of $——— for this particular phase of the work at Barium.

Name _____

Address _____

Peaches - Pears - Pecans

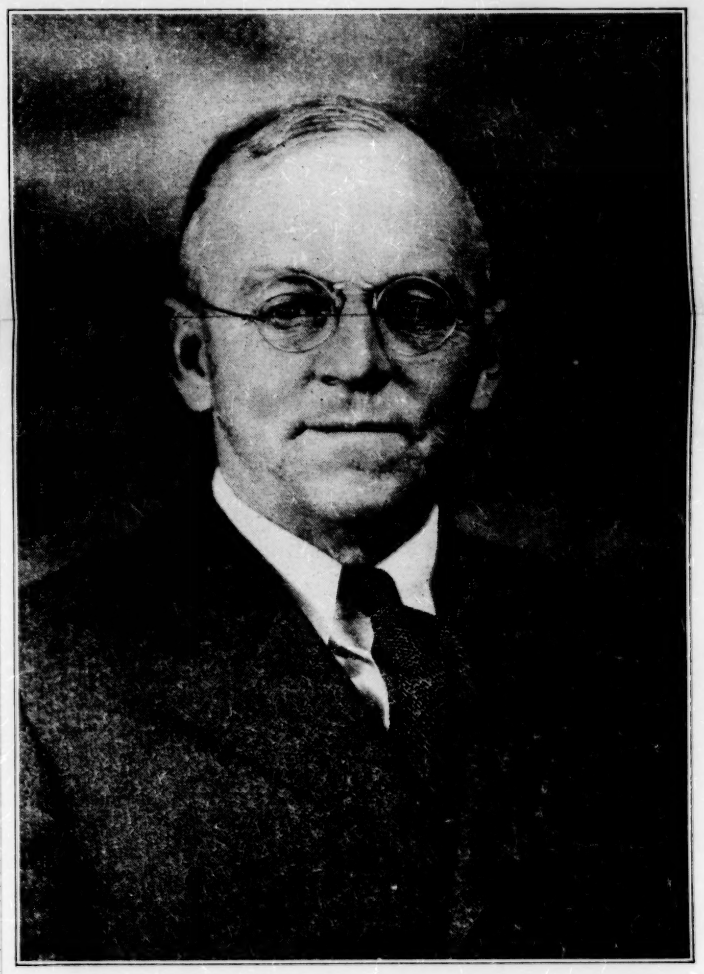
There is something about an orchard that reminds one of an army. Our orchard department does this even more so. There are the strawberries that you might call the infantry. The raspberries bear a striking resemblance to barbed wire entanglements. And then, the trees. Column after column. The peach trees we might call the calvary. They grow so fast; they produce so rapidly, and are gone so quickly. The apple trees are the artillery. They are bigger than the peach trees. The fruit can be stored away and lasts longer. Then, there is another department—the bees. We won't have any trouble at all classifying them. They belong to the air division of the army, and if you don't believe that they know their warfare, just do something out of turn sometimes, and attract their attention—after they have gotten mad.

This big army at Barium is comprised of two acres of strawberries; one acre of raspberries; 120 pecan trees; 300 pear trees; 500 grape vines; 1,050 peach trees, and 1,250 apple trees. This big army is equipped to fight the fruit appetites of a growing army of children. You just ought to see the conflict.

We had arranged to write this article on the orchard in August, right when the apples had commenced to turn red and would photograph most beautifully; when the peach trees were in their eatingest shape; when we would absorb our 12 to 15 bushels of good ripe fruit every day, but the orchard this year played a trick on us; they declared a truce or something. Maybe it was a Sabbatical Year. That last hard freeze last spring just upset all of our plans, and instead of gathering upward of 1,000 bushels of Elberta peaches, we gathered three pecks. They were too pretty to eat. We just stood off and looked at them! The apple trees, except for a very few exceptions, are a total loss this summer also.

The strawberry and raspberry crops were cut short by the drouth. So we will have to write up this department from memory.

However, our memories are so pleasant that we can write a most vivid article about them. Mr. Thomas is the head of the orchard



H. L. THOMAS, Head of Orchard

department. Fifteen years ago he had the orchards and the gardens. At that time there were not more than ten acres altogether in the entire orchard department.

That was just enough to tease us. Due to Mr. Thomas' ambition and careful planning, the orchards have been added to from year to year, until now we have one of the best balanced peach orchards in the whole country. Even with just a half a crop we commence eating peaches with the earliest in June, and up until the first of September, have all that we can comfortably absorb in ripe fresh fruit.

In addition to that, when the yield is anything like a full crop, we have an abundance to can. The peak year in canning was four years ago, when we put up four thousand gallons—a two years' supply, in addition to our fresh fruit. Last year we put up something over 1,000 gallons of peaches and sold a surplus. A fair crop of peaches runs to about 2,500 bushels. Each year we try to set out as many new peach trees as the normal death rate of our orchard trees, in order to hold it at just its present capacity as nearly as possible.

Until just six years ago, very little attention was paid to the apple trees. There was an orchard very near the Woman's Building and the laundry that was supposed to supply our wants; but so many children lived within smelling distance of that orchard that the apples had to go through just too many hazards to run much of a chance of ripening. We slowly realized this, and started a new apple orchard quite some distance from any of the dormitories. We set out four kinds of apples to test and find out which were best suited for this particular climate. There was the Stark King, the Stark Delicious, Stamen Winesap and the Black Twig. Just as soon as this orchard commenced to show us what we needed, other trees were added; and now we are commencing to get results. Last year we stored away enough apples to have them twice a week at dinner, up until the Christmas holidays. Our goal is to some day have enough to have a distribution of apples every day until March. Just give us time, and we will reach that. We have the land; and a willing crew. Then we can say that we have that "Apple-a-day" that keeps the doctor away. By the way, if you need proof of that adage, you can find it right

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"I give and bequeath to the REGENTS OF THE ORPHANS' HOME OF THE PRESBYTERIAN SYNOD OF NORTH CAROLINA, *Incorporated Under the laws of the State of North Carolina.* (HERE NAME THE BEQUEST.)

PEACHES — PEARS — PECANS

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here at Barium. It has been amply demonstrated that a diet of fruit does more to keep this large family of children in good shape than any other one thing.

Since we have set out our new orchard of apples, we have made the old apple orchard a "Help-Yourself-Orchard" and here is something surprising: Now, any child any time can go in that orchard and get himself or herself an apple. They can eat it green or wait until it gets ripe. There are a good many trees there. We just don't count them in as an output of the Orphanage. They belong absolutely to the youngsters when they want to use the fruit.

Now before we made this a "Help-Yourself-Orchard" the most careful watching very seldom resulted in apples being on those trees after the first of September. Now, there is quite a bit still hanging on the first of October! You tell us how come? We can not quite figure that out.

We have two pecan groves. And to match that, over across the hills, about 50 walnut trees. Walnuts are help-yourself. The pecans are gathered by the orchard crew and distributed to the cottages; and you will locate some of those in the homemade candy that is distributed so liberally among the cottages at Christmas time.

The squirrels that now inhabit the campus have not quite learned the distinction about these help-yourself-orchards. They raid the pecan orchards just the same as though it were help-yourself. We don't want to take drastic measures about this, because we enjoy having the squirrels on the campus so much that we are inclined to make an exception in their case.

The pear trees are the step-children of the place. Very little is done toward cultivating them, or pruning them or spraying them; and yet year after year, these faithful trees bear abundant crops. We can pears usually as long as the cans hold out. This fruit is not nearly as popular as the peaches and other things, but help us taper off a season and gives us a bigger variety.

The raspberries which we have been enjoying for the last two years are a new venture. We have the large red raspberries, and it was some time before the children really thought they were good, but you don't have to argue now about it. They follow the strawberries and make a most valuable addition to our menu.

We spoke of the orchards as being somewhat like an army. Well, it requires an army and real battle tactics to keep that orchard producing. We buy no commercial fertilizer for our big orchard. We have found that a liberal application of stable manure every other year applied during the winter and plowed under in the spring, gives the best results. We have to buy a tremendous lot of chemicals, however. There are the aphids which seem to like everything but tobacco dust. We have had to get tobacco dust to exterminate them.

Then there are the borers that have to have a chemical that would take up too much space to name, even if we knew how to spell it, to get rid of them. Then there is a dormant spray for treating the trees and the sulphur spray, for the fruit disease, and so forth, that have to be religiously applied to the trees.

Then, when the peaches start to grow, the trees have to be beaten with a rubber hammer to knock off all the fruit that is not firmly attached to the trees. We find that this fruit usually has worms in it. By taking these peaches that are knocked off and burning them, or burying them in lime, we destroy that infant curculio and save a second generation that pretty well destroys a crop. It takes this procedure, in addition to the multitudinous sprayings to handle this particular pest. They say he is a first cousin to the boll weevil. He certainly has a boll weevil's habits, and mean disposition.

Then there is pruning. Our boys (under Mr. Thomas' direction) become rather expert in this. They go over our peach orchards just like a barber goes over an unruly head, and whenever they get through, that orchard not only looks good, but acts good.

The machinery equipment of the orchards consists of a small Farmall tractor, a spraying outfit, an orchard cultivator, disk harrow and hand tools without number.

The various cottages call on this orchard group to trim up the shrubbery around the dormitories and to transplant anything that needs transplanting. They also have a lot to do with the shrubbery at the football field and other places on the campus.

In addition to all these duties, the orchard department looks after the canning. Our season's total of canning usually runs around 5,000 gallons. This year, there has been a total failure of the peach crop. The truck farm depaprtment has increased its tomato acreage, and we hope to double the amount of canned tomatoes and tomato juice, and next winter we will make believe that we like tomato juice just as well as we do canned peaches. The cannery not only takes care of fruit canning, but cans the surplus of the truck farm department.

Now we will tell you about this truck farm department in October. We are going to break into this series of farm groups in September, and tell you about our athletic departments. We think that it is in keeping that this should be done the first month of school, so that you can understand the far reaching organization that we have and the privileges that it makes possible for our school—particularly those who participate in our various programs.

We are proud of our orchard department. Mr. Thomas has been indefatigable in trying to make this produce for the Orphanage the things we could not otherwise afford. He has not shed so much blood over it, but he suffered a good deal over it. He felt that it was necessary to have a bee department in order to insure the greatest results from the orchards. So a few stands of bees were added as an accessory to the orchards.

Mr. Thomas didn't understand the bees so much at first, and they did not seem to understand Mr. Thomas. They insisted on investigating, and each time they did there was a bump. Now, our bee department consists of 25 flourishing stands and they all know Mr. Thomas by name. They seem to like him. They like his little grandson who helps him tend to the bees, and seem to be thoroughly familiar and friendly with Mugger, the big bull dog who also is an interested spectator every time a hive is opened. It is interesting to see Mr. Thomas' grandson with the orthodox Barium-summer uniform, consisting of a pair of overalls and nothing else, with that whole upper expanse of his body bared to the atmosphere and possible bee stings nonchalantly looking on while a hive is being robbed. The bees must just know that he is not particularly afraid of them, to make them act this way.

Last year, we sold a lot of peaches. We didn't have near enough to sell to everybody and those people who came expecting to buy sometimes got out of patience with us. We hope we are going to have big crops next year and all succeeding years, but we don't think we are going to try to sell any more. We want to play host to the numbers of people who are always doing nice things for us, and if you will come to see us during the peach season, we will try to put a few peaches in your car for you to remember us by.

We look to our cornfields and wheat fields for the things that make us strong. We look to the dairy for the things that make us beautiful. Milk and ice cream will put dimples in your cheeks. We look to the orchards for the things that make us kind to each other.

The sympathy of many friends at the Orphanage go out to Miss Kate Taylor and Miss Flora Overcash in recent deaths that occurred in their families. James L. Donald, an uncle of Miss Taylor, died in Mooresville on July 24th, and the mother of Miss Overcash died in a Statesville hospital on August 5th. Miss Taylor is matron of Synod's Cottage and Miss Overcash is employed in the laundry during the winter months.

WHO KNOWS

By Elbert Hubbard

I have a profound respect for boys. Grimy, ragged, tousled boys in the street often attract me strangely.

A boy is a man in the cocoon—you do not know what it is going to become—his life is big with many possibilities.

He may make or unmake kings, change boundary lines between states, write books that will mold characters, or invent machines that will revolutionize the commerce of the world.

Every man was once a boy. I trust I shall not be contradicted; it is really so.

Very distinctly and vividly I remember a slim, freckled boy, was born in the "Patch," and used to pick up coal along the railroad tracks in Buffalo. A few months ago I had a motion to make before the Supreme Court, and the boy from the "Patch" was the judge who wrote the opinion granting my petition.

Yesterday I rode horseback past a field where a boy was plowing. The lad's hair stuck out through the top of his hat; his form was bony and awkward; one suspender held his trousers in place; his bare legs and arms were brown and sunburned and briar-scared.

He swung his horses around just as I passed by, and from under the flapping frim of his hat he cast a quick glance out of the dark, half bashful eyes and modestly returned my salute. His back turned, I took off my hat and sent a God-bless-you down the furrow after him. Who knows?—I may go to that boy to borrow money, or to hear him preach, or to beg him defend me in a lawsuit; or he may stand with pulse unhastened, bare of arm, in white apron, ready to do his duty, while the cone is placed over my face, and Night and Death come creeping into my veins.

Destiny awaits just around the corner. Be patient with the boys.

Be patient with the boys—you are dealing with soulstuff.

—P. O. H—

A GLANCE BACKWARD

By Dr. W. P. Jacobs in 1916:

At a recent meeting of the Orphanages in North Carolina, attention was called to the fact that a number of so-called Orphan Homes were springing up over the State. These being promoted by men who had found out how kind the public was to Orphans, and who were proposing to make a little money out of it. A man with twelve or fourteen boys at his disposal and a farm, and nobody to stop him, and overlook him, is on the high road to prosperity. The State Committee on Charities and Corrections was urged to look into the matter, and to prohibit any such exploitation either of the name of the Orphanage or of the children gathered together.

There is an obligation on Orphan Institutions, beyond the ability of the church to sustain them. Many a good woman with warm love for the fatherless, but with poor business talent has been willing to lay the burden of a few dollars at the door of the church on condition that the church in accepting this offer would spend a great many thousands of dollars in building and maintaining a Home by which the original donor would be brought into fellowship with a great work already started. The church does wisely to look into this thing very closely before taking charge of such enterprises. There is something so romantic, and indeed so Christ-like, in caring for Orphan children, that one is hardly willing to express a word of condemnation against any enterprise of any kind gotten up for their benefit, but there is no doubt that there is danger of overdoing a good work; for example, the Synod of North Carolina has a splendid Orphanage at Barium Springs. There are also at least two smaller institutions in the mountains of the same state. The Synod would do much better to concentrate its effort at Barium Springs and to build there a great school for the fatherless, rather than to fritter away its abilities in a number of small undertakings. An Orphanage is not just a collection of orphans to be fed, but is a thoroughly equipped institution to fit a large number of children for doing the best work that they are capable of and getting the best training that the church can give.

S. S. Meals

During July, $1,655.39 was received at the Orphanage from the Sunday Schools of the Synod, which was an increase of $288.99 over July, 1935. That gives the Sunday Schools an increase of $825.59 in the first four months of 1936-1937, or a grand total of $5,088.59 in one-third of the current fiscal period.

Will the Sunday Schools show another increase in August? August's aggregate from the Sunday Schools in 1935 was $1,042.93. On August 11th, about half of that amount had already been received from the Sunday Schools, so it looks as if they are going to exceed last year's contributions for August.

It costs 9.2 cents per meal per child at Barium, but using 10 cents per meal as a basis, a grand total of 50,886 meals could have been served with these Sunday School gifts. That's 8,256 more meals possible than in the same period of 1935-1936. Maybe the Sunday Schools will make this an increase of over 10,000 more meals by August 31, 1936.

The comparison for the past three years is as follows:

Month	'34-'35	'35-'36	'36-'37
April	6,218	4,840	8,580
May	10,659	10,948	11,049
June	9,501	13,178	14,694
July	12,753	13,664	16,554
Aug.	8,762	10,429	?
Sept.	14,266	13,168	?
Oct.	13,104	19,953	?
Nov.	9,641	12,581	?
Dec.	17,510	13,114	?
Jan.	11,200	10,070	?
Feb.	10,544	10,661	?
March	31,682	31,352	?
Totals	155,940	164,906	50,886

TENTATIVE PROGRAM IS

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bration for the North Carolina Synod for the Wednesday night session. Rev. Andrew J. Howell, pastor of the Winter Park and Pearsall Memorial Presbyterian Churches of Wilmington, will speak on "The Record and Progress of the Presbyterian Church in North Carolina During the Last Seventy-five Years," and Rev. C. R. Nisbet, D. D., pastor of the Caldwell Memorial Church at Charlotte, will look to the future in an address on "Past Achievements, An Incentive to Greater Endeavor."

The program, as available on August 14th, follows:

FIRST DAY—EVENING SESSION

At Mitchell College, Statesville

7:30—Synod Called to Order and Opened with Prayer
Sermon by Dr. E. E. Gillespie, the Retiring Moderator
Enrollment
Introduction of New Ministers
Election of Moderator and Assistant Clerk
Report of Program Committee
Adjournment

SECOND DAY—MORNING SESSION

At First Presbyterian Church, Statesville

9:00—Devotional Exercises
9:20—Reading of Minutes
Appointment of Standing Committees
Bills and Overtures
Judicial
Audits
Resolutions
Leave of Absence
Records
Communications Read and Referred
Stated Clerk's Report on Vacancies and Statistics
Treasurer's Report
10:00—Report on Assembly's Causes
Address—Rev. Darby C. Fulton, D. D.
11:00—Report on Religious Education
11:45—Communion and Memorial Service
12:30—Recess for Lunch

SECOND DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION

At First Presbyterian Church, Statesville

2:00—Report on Educational Institutions
Address—Rev. John McSween, D. D., Chester, S. C.
2:45—Presbyterian Junior College
3:00—Report on Orphans' Home
3:30—Report of Stewardship Committee
4:00—Address on Ministers' Annuity Fund
4:20—Report of Committee on Work at State Institutions of learning
Matters Docketed for this Meeting of Synod
Changes in Standing Rule of Synod
Resolution on Limited Term
Resolution on Limited Term of Pastoral Service
5:00—Recess

SECOND DAY—NIGHT SESSION

At First Presbyterian Church, Statesville

7:30—Diamond Jubilee Service
Address—"The Record and Progress of the Presbyterian Church in North Carolina During the Last Seventy-five Years."—Rev. Andrew J. Howell
Address—"Past Achievements, An Incentive to Greater Endeavor."—Rev. C. R. Nisbet, D. D.
Adjournment at Will of Synod

THIRD DAY—MORNING SESSION

At First Presbyterian Church, Statesville

9:00—Devotional Exercises—Rev. A. W. Dick
9:20—Reading of the Minutes and Communications
9:30—Report of Home Mission Committee
Report of Committee on Supply
Report of Trustees of William Black Home
Reports of Permanent Committees:
Evangelism
Moral and Social Welfare
Nominations
Records
Woman's Work
Sabbath, Family Religion and Bible Cause
Finance
11:30—Address on Bible Cause

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CONGRATULATIONS ARE IN ORDER

Presbytery	July Receipts	Am't Received Per Mem.	Total per Mem. for Year	Due now
Winston-Salem	$502.50	11.3c	22 c	40c
Concord	643.76	5.5c	15.4c	40c
Kings Mountain	263.59	4.8c	15.4c	40c
Albemarle	120.13	2.8c	14.7c	40c
Orange	384.35	3.4c	12.6c	40c
Mecklenburg	833.88	4.9c	11.6c	40c
Wilmington	487.32	6.1c	11.2c	40c
Granville	150.64	2.6c	8.8c	40c
Fayetteville	465.49	3.9c	8.6c	40c
SYNOD	$3,851.57	4.8c	12.3c	40c

Oh boy, oh boy, oh boy! ! ! The exuberance that is conveyed by the foregoing outburst was actuated by the July income from the Synod of North Carolina and several other observations that were possible when last month's receipts were tabulated. Here's why officials at Barium are joyous:

July's receipts totaled $3,851.57 which was $921.45 more than was sent to Barium in July, 1935. It is the best income for July since 1931 - five years ago.

The grand total from Synod for the first four months of 1936-1937 is $10,052.03, which is $1,427.87 more than in the same period of 1935-1936. The record of receipts at Barium during the current year is the best since 1932-1933 - four years ago.

Aren't those sufficient reasons for exclamations? There is a positive affirmative answer to that question by the authorities at the Orphanage. If this is indicative of what can be expected during the other eight months of 1936-1937, then Synod is going to show an increase of over $4,200.00 to the Orphanage in its regular giving during the full 12-month period. The hope here is that this wasn't a temporary spurt during July, but that it will continue uninterruptedly.

The August, 1935, receipts were only $2,357.25. It is felt here that this will be exceeded in August, 1936. One of the main reasons for that belief is the absence of an infantile paralysis epidemic in North Carolina this summer. Attendance at churches, Sunday Schools and Auxiliaries will all be better this month is the thought of Barium officials.

Winston-Salem Presbytery leads those that have shown increases with a gain of seven cents per member. Following in order are Mecklenburg with an increase of 3.5 cents; Fayetteville 1.9 cents; Granville 1.7 cents; Wilmington 1.4 cents; Orange 1.3 cents; and Kings Mountain four-tenths of a cent.

The Synod is 1.7 cents ahead of its giving a year ago at this time. The greater portion of this increase for Synod came in July, for July's record showed a 1.1 cent increase over the year before.

There is only one big difference in the order of rank in the Presbyteries at the close of July. Winston-Salem Presbytery was tied with Kings Mountain for second place last year, but Winston-Salem is now leading the nine Presbyteries, and Kings Mountain is tied with Concord Presbytery for second place this year. The other Presbyteries are in the same berths as a year ago.

The leading Presbytery of Winston-Salem has an average of 22 cents per member in the first four months. The cellar-ranking Presbytery of Fayetteville has an average of 8.6 cents per member - a difference of 13.4 cents between the leader and tail-ender.

When the August tabulation is prepared the 1935-1936 membership of the Synod of North Carolina will be used. The membership of Synod is now 80,972; it was 79,885 in 1934-1935. This is a gain of 1,037 members in the 12-month period. The latest membership will make some difference in all Presbyteries. Every Presbytery in the Synod showed some membership gain last year except Wilmington. The new membership will therefore help that Presbytery' average when it is used next month; it will lower the others, depending upon the net gain.

TENTATIVE PROGRAM IS

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12:00—Reports of Standing Committees (see above)
12:30—Recess for Lunch

THIRD DAY—AFTERNOON SESSION

At First Presbyterian Church, Statesville

2:00—Time and Place of Next Meeting
Appointment of Program Committee
Report of Organization of Executive and Permanent Committees
Unfinished or New Business
Reading of Minutes
Roll Call
Closing Religious Exercises
Adjournment

Income Distribution

Here's the distribution of income from the Synod of North Carolina in the first four months of 1936-1937: Church budgets, $3,375.82; Sunday Schools, $5,088.59, and Auxiliaries, $1,587.62. Figured out on a percentage basis, it shows the following: From Sunday Schools, 50.6%; from Church budgets, 33.6%, and from Auxiliaries, 15.8%.

Leading in the church budget contributions is Mecklenburg Presbytery with $965.16; runner-up is Concord Presbytery with $621.34. Ahead in total Sunday School contributions is Concord Presbytery, $967.17; second is Orange Presbytery with $789.68. Orange Presbytery leads in Auxiliary giving with $383.00; Albemarle Presbytery follows with $250.62.

The following tabulation gives the income distribution according to organizations within the nine Presbyteries:

Presbytery	Ch.	S. S.	Aux.
Albemarle	$131.67	$241.66	$250.62
Concord	621.34	967.17	192.78
Fayetteville	170.96	751.67	114.39

TWO FUNERALS HELD AT LITTLE JOE'S CHURCH

Two funerals were held recently from Little Joe's Church within a span of three weeks.

The first was that of William Perry, 24 years old, on July 22. William was a former Orphanage boy, who left the institution in 1929, and almost ever since that date has been in various sanatoriums because of tuberculosis. He died in a sanatorium at Black Mountain on July 21st, and the request was made by an aunt that the funeral be held at Barium with burial in Little Joe's cemetery. This was granted. Pallbearers at the funeral were graduates of the Orphanage who were at Barium with William. The services were conducted by Rev. W. C. Brown, pastor, who was assisted by Rev. R. A. White, D. D., pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Mooresville.

The second funeral was that of Mrs. J. O. Overcash on August 6th. Mrs. Overcash was a member of Little Joe's Church, and lived in a house almost adjoining the Barium property. She had been seriously ill for several days, and while little hope was held for her recovery, the end came more quickly than was expected on Wednesday, August 5th. Her husband died in 1932. Rev. W. C. Brown, pastor of Little Joe's Church, conducted the last rites, burial taking place in Oakwood Cemetery, in Statesville, beside the grave of her husband.

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number of 233 will be materially reduced by then. Officials plan a similar survey from month to month, and the record at the close of September, 1936, will be quite favorable, it is thought, when compared with the status on September 30, 1933.

Of the churches which have reported contributions to date, 437 organizations in these churches have participated. The largest number of reports have come from Sunday Schools, for 211 of them have contributed something to Barium in the past four months; 134 church budgets have reported gifts, and reports have been received from 92 Auxiliaries in the Synod.

The various organizations reporting, according to Presbyteries, follows:

Presbytery	Ch.	S. S.	Aux
Albemarle	7	16	10
Concord	29	27	12
Fayetteville	10	40	15
Granville	11	9	5
Kings Mountain	5	23	9
Mecklenburg	24	31	13
Orange	22	27	16
Wilmington	15	30	5
Winston-Salem	11	8	7
Totals	134	211	92
Granville	187.83	194.68	127.41
Kings Mtn.	125.95	591.40	132.05
Mecklenburg	965.16	784.44	213.35
Orange	243.51	789.68	383.00
Wilmington	420.79	425.00	45.00
W.-Salem	508.91	342.89	128.84
Totals	$3,375.82	$5,088.59	$1,587.62

—P. O. H.—

HOWARD

Hello Folks.

This is station H. C. speaking.

Vacation time is almost over and some of us are looking forward to the camping trip.

Mr. Johnston gave us a victrola and some records which a friend had given to Barium, and we enjoy playing it.

Since it has rained we will be expecting the beans and we will be ready to string them when the boys bring them.

We are glad to have Ann McDonald and Betty Adams back with us from their vacations.

We are going to have a jackrock contest and each one of us is planning to win. We'll give you the name of the winner next month.

During the month of July four new girls came to live with us. Their names are: Edith Powell, Lucile Smith, Elsie Ferguson, and Mary Alice Stevenson. We are glad to have them with us.

Miss Woods is on her vacation and we'll be glad when she comes back; but we are glad to have Mrs. Holton for our matron while she is away.

Most of us have a flower garden and we enjoy watching the flowers grow. We have some beautiful flowers in bloom.

Louise Russell
Mabel Shoaf

Some Cottage News

BABY COTTAGE

June 25—We, Mama Girt and the big girls worked in our flower gardens.

June 26—Mr. and Mrs. Howard, of Tarboro, came to look over our cottage and they brought their little girl with them. At 4 o'clock we went to see the Synod boys play baseball. Tonight we spent to hear the Statesville band play for us. We enjoyed hearing them.

June 27—Mama fixed us a good supper. She made us some cookies and ice cream. We enjoyed it. Mrs. Milton and her sister were our guests. They brought Mabel Milton and Joe Ben Riddle with them.

June 28—We went to Sunday School and Church as usual. Some visitors from Albermarle came to look over the campus.

June 29—Mr. Sams invited us to the show to see "Hearts Divided". We enjoyed it very much. Thank you, Mr. Sams. Betty Jo Smith went to visit Mrs. Ludwick and her little girl at Newton. She will be gone a week.

June 30—It has been an unusually hot day. We enjoyed our splash in the swimming pool. We also had a good time playing on the grass in front of the Woman's building.

July 1—Hot! Oh Boy, if today is a fair sample of July, the pool will be our best bet. Looks as if we might have rain. We surely hope so.

July 2—What a nice shower of rain came and from all directions at the same time. Some of us almost got wet before the windows could come down.

July 3—Two of our biggest boys, the Blue twins, went to visit Mrs. Somers near Burlington. We are glad they could have such a lovely vacation.

July 4—We went to sleep an hour later. We enjoyed having the Oxford Singing Class come up here. They are going to spend the week-end with us.

July 5—This is Communion day. Except for that, it is like every other Sunday.

July 6—Some people from Mooresville came to see Jack Mangum and brought things for a birthday party, because tomorrow is his birthday. Betty Joe came back.

July 7—We had Jack's birthday party. Betty Joe Smith and Dallas Ammons contributed.

July 8—We had the remainder of the party, and the rest of the day was like every other one.

July 9—We had some visitors from Mt. Airy and they brought us some lovely sun-suits. Mama Girt was invited on a picnic and they went to Roaring Gap.

July 10—We were invited to see "Little Lord Fauntleroy." We had some visitors, too.

July 11—Miss Carpenter ate supper with us. Mama made us some cookies and we had some ice cream to eat with them. The people from Mt. Airy sent it to us.

July 12—We had a good rest after our play during the week. Mr. Brown preached us a good sermon.

July 13—We went in swimming again and we had a good time. We had a nice shower this evening.

July 14—We played at Mr. and Mrs. Grier's house to-night and had lots of fun. Mama let us put on our bathing suits and Mr. Grier turned the hose on us.

July 15—This is a very hot day but we didn't mind it very much because Mr. Sams invited us to see "Coleen." We enjoyed it very much and thank him a real lot. It was cool in the Playhouse. A little boy named John Smith Jr. came to live with us, and we like him.

July 16—A little girl named Esse Jean Lee came to live with us. She is four years old and has a doll about as big as she is. We like her and have a good time playing.

July 17—Our flowers are so bright and pretty. We have worked on them a lot but we think weeds grow a little faster than flowers.

July 18—Miss Carpenter ate supper with us to-night. Mama Girt made us some banana ice cream.

July 19—Mr. Clarke, of Statesville, preached for us to-night. We sang "I Am So Glad That Jesus Loves Me" for our special music.

July 20—Three of our own babies that were at the Infirmary came back. Helen Price, one of our big girls, returned from her vacation.

July 21—Jack Mangum's clothing people took him on his vacation this morining.

July 22—Mrs. O'Kelly came to spend the day with us. She sat at Mama's table for dinner and supper. We had a good time.

July 23—We didn't have any rain and it sure is hot, even to go in swimming.

July 24—Mrs. O'Kelly began to be matron and Mama McGirt went off duty.

July 25—Mama Girt went to Blowing Rock. Mrs. O'Kelly is going to be our Mama while she is gone.

July 26—We had visitors this afternoon. Charles Stevens came Saturday and came to live with us Sunday.

July 27—Another new boy came to live with us. Mama O'Kelly made us some cookies.

—THE BABIES

RUMPLE HALL

Hello Everybody,

Here is your favorite reporters with more news.

First, we have the weather report. For Barium Springs: Very warm. Our swimming pool will continue to be in constant use.

We have been enjoying the fruit we have been having though we have not had as much to enjoy this year as we did last.

Here at Rumple Hall we find quite a few returning from their vacations. We are always glad to see them coming back, for when all of our family are at home it makes less dishes for each one of us to wash. The names of those who have had a vacation are: Geraldine and Faye Blue, Emma Eudy, Glenn Linsday, Lucile Johnston, Thelma McIntyre, Frances Morgan, Mary Ann McCormick, Lillie McDonald, Nancy Stafford, Mary Adams, and Flora Mae Newman. All of these report a nice visit. Thelma Robards, Lily Bryant and Sadie Mills are still away. We miss them.

Our matron, Miss Stevenson, returned from her vacation yesterday. We were glad to have her come back. We shall miss Miss Ghigo.

Our last item of news today is of much interest to we Rumple Hall girls. Mr. Sams invited us to come and see the picture, "Gentle Julia". We all thought it was a good picture. We are going to see "The Moon Is Our Home" tomorrow.

This is all the time we will have so until next month—so long.

—Lillie McDonald
—Emma Eudy

SYNOD COTTAGE

Hello Folks,

Vacation time is nearly over and we are looking forward to going on the camping trip.

Nearly all of our boys have been home and came back. We are glad to see them.

Miss Taylor is on her vacation now and Miss McDade is our matron.

Fourteen of our boys went to another cottage and we got some from the Baby Cottage and some new ones.

Miss Taylor's uncle died the day she went on vacation. We are sorry.

School is nearly ready to start and we are sad.

We have been having some fruit from the orchard boys and we thank them.

When Dr. Johnson brought Charles Smith back from his vacation they brought us 12 big watermellons, and were they good! We had two watermelon "feasts".

—Esau Davis
—Paul Burney

Annie Louise

Dear Friends,

It has been raining for the last few days. We were glad to have the rain because it was so hot and dry. We have been enjoying the cool days after the rain.

Some of our girls have come back from their vacations and we are glad to have them with us.

Miss McGoogan was called home because her sister was sick. We are so sorry that she is not well and hope that she will soon recover. We hope Miss McGoogan will soon be back for we miss her very much.

The dentist has been fixing our teeth. A lot of our girls have lost some of their teeth.

Louise Brock
Elizabeth Robards

Memorial Gift

Ernest Milton, Treasurer,
Presbyterian Orphans' Home,
Barium Springs, N. C.

Dear Mr. Milton:

In lieu of sending flowers to the funeral of _____ (name) _____ of _____ (address), I am sending you $ _____ as a memorial gift to the deceased.

The member of the family to whom you can write acknowledging this is _____ (name), _____ (address), who is _____ (relationship to deceased)

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Name _____

Address _____

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because they are being fed a lot more food than would otherwise be the case at this time of year. They don't know it, but they are soon to enter the Ministry!

Also, there are two choice young beeves that are assuming very aristocratic proportions from the extra attentions they are receiving in preparation for this same ceremony. We have gone extremely light on our consumption of fried chickens this summer, saving our portion to share with our visitors. The watermelons were planted late so that they would be in the peak of production when Synod meets. Tomatoes and vegetables of every kind, particulary roasting ears, were also dated up for that tremendous occasion.

Every grown person and every child at Barium is trying to think up ways to make it pleasant for this Home-Coming of Synod. If there is anything lacking in Barium's entertainment of Synod, it will be because we lack imagination, and not because we lack affection.

The family at Barium Springs is a little larger than usual right now. We can not quite explain that. There is abundant evidence that the depression is over. The Federal Government and the State Government are doing far more for the relief of destitute people than was ever done before. The bonus money certainly has relieved some conditions of need; and yet, with it all there has been a greater pressure of urgent applications on the Orphanage this summer than for a number of years past. As a consequence, we have a larger number to start off in the fall than is usual. This extra large family will be here when Synod arrives. All of them will be eating in the same dining room with the Synod, except possibly two meals. Dinner on Wednesday and supper on Wednesday will no doubt be so largely attended that 80 or 100 of the smaller children will have to eat at the second table, and the cooks will have to take extra precautions to see that there is a second table.

The hours for meals at Barium have been arranged to what we think will be most convenient for the visitors. Breakfast will be at 8:00, dinner at 1:00, supper at 6:00.

We hope these particular hours will be firmly impressed on the minds of everyone, because Barium does have to work to a schedule, and when eight o'clock comes in the morning, breakfast will start. We hope everybody will be there to eat it. The same (with even more emphasis) for dinner and supper.

We don't know how the commissioners to the Synod will feel on visiting Barium. We hope they won't feel like guests, but rather like home-comers. Barium is indeed proud to welcome the Synod here. We have washed up and dressed up and have done some extraordinary things to make you like us.

We worked over one dormitory entirely, sparing no pains to have it in tip-top shape. We have absolutely built over the four bathrooms in this building. We have a donation of towels and we will soon have a new supply of soap, all for your use. It is just too bad that Synod will not extend through "Saturday Night", but we hope that most of you will break over and use these facilities, even though Synod adjourns on Thursday!

The building that the majority will be assigned to is the Lottie Walker building—the pride of the women of North Carolina, and the pride of the girls at Barium Springs. It is a building in which we think you will be most comfortable; and while you are there, the girls will be doubling up with their younger sisters at Rumple Hall, Howard Cottage, and Baby Cottage. We hope you will find us a cheerful family. People sometimes get the idea that an Orphanage is a place of tragedy and grief. There is no doubt that tragedy and grief make Orphanages necessary, but you will find Barium Springs a very cheerful place. Nobody is parading their troubles or their griefs. We try to forget our own in alleviating some one else's troubles.

We wish your stay with us could be longer than just two days. There are so many things we would like to show you; things of which we are proud of and then some things of which we are just a little ashamed. Sometimes a garment is worn until it becomes ragged and unfit for further use. Sometimes that same thing happens to a building. No matter how careful one may be in preserving and repairing, they do sometimes outlive their usefulness. You can find such at Barium Springs. We are wanting to do something about it; maybe you will see what we mean. We don't want to burden you with our troubles or our needs, but we want you to go away feeling that you have had a happy re-union with a very devoted part of your family.

Birthdays

Children who went to the birthday table in July were:

Jack Mangum, Mae Allen Barrett, Ruth Monroe, Mabel Vinson, Doris Rippey, Louise Everett, Marjorie Lail, Mary Ann McCormick, Olive Gaskill, Gastone Alessandrini, Joe Long , Lester May, Pleas Norman, Hervey Strickland, David Burney, Billy McCall, James Porter, Clyde May, Thomas Morgan, Ray Clendenin, Fred Johnson. and Lee Spencer.

Children who have the privilege of attending the August birthday table, because their birthdays are during this month, include:

Kathleen Monroe, May Frances Strickland, Betty Williamson, Billy Ammons, Gertrude Bryant, Emma Eudy, Crosby Mundy, Sarah Parcell, Mabel Shoaf, Nancy Stafford, Linda Culp, Marie Smith, Johnnie Burgin, Grace Shroyer, Cleo Sluder, Lucy Bryant, Earl Allen, J. G. Ammons, Lacy McCormick, Charles Thomas Smith, Nelson Farmer, Walter Mott, Jack McCall, Tom McCall, Richard Moore, Arnim East, and David Spencer.

Miscellaneous Gifts

Mt. Airy Aux., 34 Sun suits, 4 packs safety pins, 6 packs gum.
Mrs. John Blue, Sr., Laurinburg, 4 quilts.
Mebane Friends, used garments.
Bumbarger's, Hickory , paper dolls, books, games.
Ahoskie Intermediate D. V. B. S., 1 spread for Baby Cottage.
Graham Aux., Circle 1, Needle Work thread and patterns.
Cannon Mills, Kannapolis, 25 dozen towels.
Mount Airy Aux., 74 table napkins; 14 table cloths.

Clothing Money

Back Creek Aux.	6.65
Grove (W) Aux.	12.50
Henderson Aux.	3.50
Howard Memorial Aux. Mrs. Mabry Hart	4.00
Mrs. Job Cobb	8.00
Mrs. Geo. Holderness	8.50
Jackson Springs Aux.	15.00
Jonesboro Aux.	5.00
King's Daughters, Salisbury	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. J. P. Booth, Charlotte	5.00
Mount Olive S. S., Berean B. C.	3.50
Plaza S. S., Men's B. C.	12.50
Reidsville Aux.	30.00
Wadesboro Aux.	15.00
Washington 1st S. S., Beg. & Pri. Depts.	6.60
Willard Aux., Circle 2	15.00
Williams' Memorial Aux.	12.50
Total Clothing	**$168.25**

Miscellaneous

Col. F. L. Fuller, New York	150.00
H. M. McAllister, Lumberton	12.50
Rev. James Appleby, Maxton	1.00
A. E. Scharrer, Hickory	5.00
F. P. Tate, Morganton	6.00
A Former Barium Student	1.00
James Sloan, Redlands, Calif.	200.00
A Raleigh Friend	5.00
Mrs. Callie S. Brown, Davidson	5.00
Miss Margaret Carter, Davidson	1.50
A Friend	10.00
Mr. & Mrs. H. Price Lineberger, Gastonia	5.00
C. G. Pepper, Hamlet	1.00
Rev. J. L. McBride, Statesville	20.00
A Friend	50.00
Rev. T. H. Spence, Concord	2.00
Miss Carolyn E. Johnston, Marion	3.00
Mrs. L. M. Crowell, Samarcand	5.00
A Barium Graduate	35.00
A Charlotte Friend	2.00
Phil & Emily Willer, Kannapolis	1.50
A Friend, for Baby Cottage	5.00
Total Miscellaneous	**$526.50**

Memorials

In Memory of H. M. McIntyre, Godwin:	
Mrs. Annie Godwin & Family, Godwin	5.00
In Memory of Mrs. Ozelle Lewis Brewster, Washington, D. C.	
Sara Howard, Statesville	1.50
In Memory of Mrs. Elva Beaty, Charlotte:	
Mrs. R. H. Stowe, Mt. Holly	1.50
Mr. & Mrs. J. P. Booth, Charlotte	2.00
In Memory of James L. Donald, Mooresville:	
Lulie E. Andrews, Barium Springs	5.00
Mr. & Mrs. J. H. Lowrance, Barium Springs	3.00
Statesville B. P. W. Club	3.00
Kate Taylor, Barium Springs	5.00
Miss Margaret Taylor & Mrs. Maggie Donald Kerr, Manchester, England	5.00
Business Women's Circle, Little Joe's Aux.	3.00
Total Memorials	**$34.00**

For Messenger

Mrs. Ruth E. Temple, Raleigh	1.00
J. M. Gray, Concord	1.00
Total For Messenger	**$2.00**

Churches

Alamance	12.75
Back Creek	7.45
Badin	2.00
Bethany (C)	.40
Bensalem, 1st quarter	2.55
Bessemer	2.86
Bethpage	4.13
Bowden	1.10
Burgaw	4.57
Burlington 1st, Regular	13.88
Special	7.10
Caldwell Memorial, 1st quarter	47.17
Charlotte 1st, 1st quarter	72.00
Charlotte 2nd, Regular	150.00
1935 Thanksgiving	28.00
Clinchfield	.75
Concord Iredell, 1st quarter	6.75
Covenant (W), 1st quarter	144.15
Cross Roads	1.72
Davidson	31.87
Fairview (G)	1.07
Franklin	1.35
Gilwood	1.93
Granville Presbytery, Bank Dividend	.38
Grassy Creek	5.19
Graves Memorial, 1st quarter	8.30
Hamlet	1.00
Harrisburg	2.31
Hickory 1st	14.21
Highland, 1st quarter	51.55
Immanuel	6.54
Jackson Springs, Special	9.00
Lenoir, Regular	70.00
A Friend	20.00
Littleton	.38
Maxton 1st, 1st quarter	27.11
McGee	6.59
Mebane	9.39
Mooresville 1st	33.18
Mount Zion	3.60
Myatt	7.50
Oxford	4.21
Patterson	2.55
Paw Creek	4.87
Philadelphia	1.87
Plaza, Regular	5.60
Special	19.94
Poplar Tent	4.13
Prospect	3.60
Raeford, 1st quarter	18.00
Raleigh 1st	48.75
Red Springs, 1st quarter	23.96
Reidsville	15.30
Rockfish	2.24
Rocky Point	1.20
St. Andrews (M)	4.75
St. Andrews (W), June	30.00
Salisbury 1st	29.44
Salisbury 2nd	3.30
Sharon	8.25
Shiloh (C)	1.13
Spencer	6.06
Statesville 1st, 1st quarter	61.64
Steel Creek, 1st quarter	60.00
Sugaw Creek	15.00
Tenth Avenue	35.00
Thyatira	11.10
Unity (C)	2.58
Vanguard 1st	5.63
Wallace	3.75
Warrenton	7.50
Washington 1st	15.63
Westminster (M), 1st quarter	37.50
West Raleigh	1.50
Willard	2.24
Williams' Memorial	11.00
Wilmington 1st, June	30.11
Winston-Salem 1st, May	150.00
June	150.00

Sunday Schools

Alamance	9.70
Albemarle 1st, June	21.83
July	30.33
Anderson, June	.80
July	.90
Ashpole	2.94
Ashwood	2.00
Badin, Ladies' B. C.	2.00
Baker's	2.56
Belmont, May	26.89
June	18.29
July	13.04
Bethel (F), 1st quarter	4.16
Bethel (M)	2.88
Bethesda (F)	6.50
Bethesda (O)	3.65
Bethpage, Men-of-the Church, 1st quarter	3.00
Black River, May & June	5.00
Buffalo (G), June	24.65
July	19.45
Buffalo (L), Regular	6.00
Special, D. V. B. S.	2.06
Burgaw	7.00
Burlington 2nd	10.00
Caldwell Memorial, April, May & June	22.50
Calypso, 1st quarter	7.10
Candor, June	5.40
Cann Memorial, 1935-1936	3.00
Chadbourn, June	4.54
Charlotte 1st, 1st quarter	22.50
Cherryville, June	12.25
Church-in-the-Pines	3.80
Clarkton	11.61
Concord 1st	61.21
Concord Iredell	5.79
Conley Memorial	1.38
Cook's Memorial, April	1.56
May	2.51
June	2.35
Cornelius, 1st quarter	3.15
Covenant (F), 1st quarter	11.92
Covenant (O), Covenant B. C., March thru July	10.00
Cypress	2.00
Dallas	2.17
Davidson, June	13.32
July	13.03
Dunn 1st, Vanguard Class, 1st quarter	18.51
Durham 1st, June & July	25.00
Edenton, April	.85
May	1.00
June	1.21
Elizabethtown	5.00
Eno	5.00
Erwin	10.00
Faison, 1st quarter	18.37
Farmville (A)	3.72
Fayetteville 1st	10.00
Fifth Creek, 1st quarter	7.25
Foster Memorial, June	1.00
July	1.00
Fountain	2.63
Gastonia 1st, Men's B. C., June & July	25.34
Gilwood	3.50
Godwin, 1st quarter	10.31
Graves Memorial	9.63
Greensboro 1st, Men's B. C.	20.09
Greenville	4.00
Hallsville	2.50
Harmony (C)	3.61
Harrisburg	6.03
High Point 1st, The Gleaners, June	10.00
July	11.00
Howard Memorial	3.14
Huntersville	8.08
Iona, 1st quarter	3.25
Iron Station	2.50
Jackson Springs, June	6.00
July	11.00
Jacksonville, April	7.00
May	7.10
June	8.20
Jonesboro April	3.65
May	5.11
June	4.18
Kings Mountain 1st, June	22.46
July	21.51
Lake Waccamaw, April	1.59
May	3.21
June	2.24
Laurinburg, June	19.35
Little Joe's, June	3.02
July	3.32
Lumberton, April, May & June	33.13
McMillan	1.40
McPherson, July & August	20.00
Machpelah	1.90
Madison	3.87
Mallard Creek, 1st quarter	12.93
Marion	11.00
Mayo Mission	4.00
Mebane	7.00
Mocksville, June	10.35
Monroe	17.00
Montpelier, May	8.00
June	7.00
Mooresville 1st	11.00
Mooresville 2nd, 1st quarter	11.54
Morven, May, 1st & 5th Sunday's	7.09
June	4.25
Mount Olive, June	8.00
July	7.00
Mount Pisgah, June	2.00
Mount Zion	5.00
Myers Park	4.37
Nahalah	2.00
New Bern 1st	2.62
Men's B. C.	2.05
New Hope (O)	3.45
Oak Hill, June	.80
Olivia, June	13.41
July	14.96
Pearsall Memorial	4.75
Philadelphia	4.41
Philadelphus, April	1.79
May	1.36
June	1.11
July	1.27
Pinetops, June	2.57
July	1.65
Pittsboro	1.65
Pleasant Grove, Special	4.65
Pollocksville	2.00
Prospect	6.00
Raeford	30.00
Ramah	5.00
Reidsville, June	10.00
Robinson, 1st quarter	9.00
Rockfish, June	1.70
July	1.50
Rockingham	15.55
Rocky Mount 1st, Jennie K. Hill B. C.	5.00
Rocky Point, June	2.00
Rocky River, April, May & June	25.00
Rutherfordton, June	10.15
St. Andrews (M), June	13.50
St. Andrews (W), June	5.25
St. Paul (F), June	12.00
Salisbury 1st, Women's B. C.	5.00
Brotherhood B. C.	25.00
Salisbury 2nd	10.18
Saluda, June	1.00
July	1.00
Sanford, June	9.40
July	9.84
Shelby 1st	25.15
Shiloh (C), April	1.61
May	.65
June	.92
Shiloh (KM), June	3.00
July	4.05
Southport, July & August	5.00
Spies, 1st quarter	1.73
Spray	4.00
Statesville 1st, June	14.54
Steel Creek, Mrs. Choate's Class	5.00
Sunnyside	3.85
Tenth Avenue	19.10
Thyatira	10.00
Union (KM)	3.50
Union Mills, Regular	3.00
Special, Blackberry Picking, Pri. and Beginners	1.10
Juniors	1.75
Intermediates	.70
Seniors	2.95
Varina	.85
Vass	10.60
Wallace, Special	50.00
Warrenton	8.00
Waughtown, June	4.00
West End, June	5.17
Westminster (O)	8.59
White Plains	1.59
Wildwood (W), 1st quarter	4.00
Winston-Salem 1st, May	54.14
June	36.01
Neal Anderson B. C., May	36.00
June	25.00
Winter Park	5.00
Yanceyville, June	4.20
July	2.05

Auxiliaries

Ahoskie	1.00
Albemarle 1st	10.00
Asheboro	12.38
Back Creek	1.00
Bethesda (F), Special, three months	12.10
Burlington 1st, Circles, 2nd quarter	18.00
Special, Circle 3	3.00
Caldwell Memorial	7.50
Cann Memorial, June	1.05
Carthage, Circles, June & July	8.00
Charlotte 1st	11.25
Charlotte 2nd, Circle 15	25.00
Cherryville, June	1.00
Clarkton	6.43
Covenant (O)	10.00
Cypress, June	1.00
July	1.00
Elizabethtown, Budget Circles, Special April thru July	16.88
Eno	6.00
Erwin, Circles 1 and 3, June	2.00
Circles 1, 2 & 3, July	3.00
Fountain, Circles, April thru July	8.00
Fuller Memorial	6.00
Gastonia 1st, 7½%	22.50
Special	9.00
Glenwood, 1st quarter	6.00
Godwin, Circle 2, 1st quarter	3.00
Greensboro 1st, Regular	15.98
Bethany Circle	1.00
Grove (W)	3.00
Henderson	1.88
Highland, Special for fruit	10.00
High Point 1st	7.00
Hopewell (M)	2.00
Howard Memorial	6.00
Immanuel, Regular	3.57
Special	6.20
Jonesboro, Special	2.85
Lenoir, June & July	10.00
Mount Holly, June & July	8.80
North Wilkesboro, Special	35.00
Olney, Circles, 1st quarter	12.00
Raeford	4.00
Raleigh 1st, Circles	10.00
Reidsville	30.00
Roanoke Rapids	10.00
Rocky Mount 1st, A Friend Circles	20.00
Penny-a-Day	11.00
St. Paul (F)	3.31
Salisbury 1st	.70
Salisbury 2nd	18.00
Sharon	5.00
Shelby 1st, Circles	5.00
Smithfield	4.00
Statesville 1st, Special	6.00
Steel Creek	28.00
Sugaw Creek	10.00
Thyatira, June	2.75
Tryon, April, May & June	2.00
Washington 1st, Regular	2.50
Special	4.00
West Avenue (M)	9.00
Wilmore	2.55
Total Presbyteries	5.00
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